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October 10, 2003  
(Via certified or express mail)

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**Re: Sauget Sites Area I - May 31, 2000 Unilateral Administrative Order (UAO)  
Sediment / Soils Removal Action  
# 29 - Monthly Report; September 1 – September 30, 2003 Reporting period**

Dear Mr. Turner and Mr. Martin,

Enclosed is the Monthly Report for the Sauget Sites Area I May 31, 2000 Unilateral Administrative Order ("UAO") Sediment Removal Action. This submittal is in fulfillment of the monthly reporting requirements of the UAO, Section V, and paragraph 3.4. Reporting. This report is for the September 1 – September 30, 2003 reporting period.

Sincerely,

Gary Vandiver  
Project Coordinator  
Solutia Inc.

cc: Nabil Fayoumi – USEPA Region 5  
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Village of Sauget – c/o P. H. Weis & Associates (Attn: Brian Nelson)  
Mayor P. Sauget - Sauget, IL

## **Sauget Sites Area I - Sauget, Illinois**

### **May 31, 2000 UAO – Dead Creek Sediment Removal Action**

#### **Monthly Report**

**Date of Report:** October 6, 2003

**Period Covered:** September 1, 2003 – September 30, 2003

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#### **Work Performed during the reporting period**

##### **Groundwater Monitoring**

- Revision 01 of the Draft Groundwater Monitoring Plan - submitted to the Agencies on August 3, 2001. Although it has not received Agency approval, it has been implemented.
- Collected samples for the September 2003 quarterly sampling of the groundwater monitoring wells around the containment cell. Samples will be analyzed for parameters in the Draft Groundwater Monitoring Plan Revision 01.

##### **TSCA Containment Cell**

- The Operations and Maintenance Report - submitted for the Agencies' review and approval on August 28, 2001- remained under review. Portions of the Plan applicable to the placement of sediments have already been approved.
- Performed inspections of the site.
- Maintained operation of the 50-gpm stormwater treatment system.
- Inspected and maintained the 6oz. geotextile/6 mil scrim reinforced poly cover over the containment cell.
- Maintained stormwater and leachate collection controls around the containment cell.
- Monitored support area facilities.

## **Dead Creek**

No work performed during this reporting period.

## **Data Submittal**

No data are submitted with this report.

## **Work scheduled for next reporting period**

- Conduct routine inspection of the containment cell.
- Continue operation of the 50-gpm stormwater treatment system.
- Perform necessary operation and maintenance on the containment cell and temporary treatment system.
- Analyze groundwater samples for parameters in the Draft Groundwater Monitoring Plan Revision 01.

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## **PROJECT COMPLETION**

Mobilization	100 %
Berm Construction	100 %
Liner Installation	100 %
Sediment Removal Preparation	100 %
Sediment Excavation (Site M)	100 %
Sediment Excavation (Original Scope of Work)	100 %
Sediment Excavation (Sector F)	100 %
Temporary Cover installation	100 %
Demobilization - Phase I	100 %
Final Cover Installation	0 %
Demobilization - Phase II	0 %
Final Report Preparation	0 %

## **Submittal Schedule Status**

See attached UAO schedule

## **May 31 Sauget Area I UAO Sediment Removal Action**

### **SCHEDULE**

<b>Deliverable</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Due Date</b>
Issuance Date	Date UAO signed by Muno	<b>31-May-00</b>
Effective Date	10 business day after issuance	<b>14-Jun-00</b>
Notice of Intent to Comply	3 business days after effective date	<b>19-Jun-00</b>
Designation of Contractor and Project Coordinator	5 business days after effective date	<b>21-Jun-00</b>
Access	14 calendar days after effective date	<b>28-Jun-00</b>
Time Critical Removal Action Work Plan Submittal	15 business days after effective date	<b>7-Jul-00</b>
EPA Approval of TCRA W/P		<b>May 10, 2001</b>
Monthly Reports	Begin 30 calendar days after approval of TCRA W/P until completion	<b>June 10, 2001</b>
Final Report	60 Calendar days after completion of sediments and soils removal	
Mitigation Plan	60 Calendar days after completion of sediments and soils removal	<b>May 22, 2002</b>